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#### CITY COUNCIL.

THE CITY HALL SITE NOT YET SETTLED.

At a regular meeting of the city council on Monday evening, there were present, Alds. Evans, Hanbury, Edgar, Murray, Caldwell, Wastie, McGregor and Russell. In the absence of the mayor, Ald. Hanbury was voted to the chair.

The minutes of the last meeting and special meetings, were read and adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS.  
From the returning officer, certifying to both by-laws, voted on June 20th, as being carried.

From Jno. Fawcett, stating that he had been fined \$10 and costs by the P.M. for allowing horses to run at large, whereas the by-law fixes \$5.00 as the highest fine.—Referred to order of motions.

From City Solicitor re title of block 48, known as the market square. Referred to order of motions.

From J. C. Kerr, secy. of the school board, submitting a resolution passed by the board, re city hall site, in connection with the school property.

From the MAIL and Times offices and E. L. Christie, submitting tenders for printing debentures.—Referred to finance committee.

PETITIONS.  
From residents of blocks 68 and 79, asking that these blocks be taken out of the fire limit by-law.—Filed for future reference.

The report of C. S. Miller and S. F. Johnson, submitting the values of property in block 42, on which there are mortgages, as follows:

THEIR CLAIM.	ALLOWED.
Dr. Fleming, J. W. W. Fleming and G. N. Gilchrist, \$2000.00	\$2500.00
J. W. Fleming, 450.00	450.00
C. A. Larkin, 5150.00	4650.00
Brandon Electric Light Co., 485.00	3900.00
Laidlaw, Green & Co., 1100.00	900.00
Smith & Sherriff, 4500.00	4200.00

Referred to order of motions.

LICENSE, POLICE AND HEALTH.

Recommend that the following accounts be paid:

Free Press, 81.00	2.00
Post office, 2.00	1.00
J. Smith, 1.00	2.50
Mrs. Ewart, 2.50	

The report of Chief of Police with certificate of payment of \$55.50 from treasurer be filed.—Report adopted.

FIRE, WATER AND LIGHT.

Recommend that the following accounts be paid:

Wm. Wilson, 2.75	2.75
John Colclander, 10.00	10.00
J. H. Hughes, 10.00	10.00
Johnson & Co., 16.92	16.92
Parrish & Lindsay, 61.58	61.58
Firemen's pay sheet, 137.50	137.50

Report adopted.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Recommend that the following accounts be paid:

W. H. McIntyre, 816.50	816.50
Forbes & Stritt, 3.75	3.75
Johnson & Co., 28.28	28.28
Official pay sheet, 121.50	121.50
Wilson & Co., 28.40	28.40

Report adopted.

FINANCE AND ASSESSMENT.

Times office, 8.56	8.56
Sum, 3.20	3.20
J. C. Kerr, 54.00	54.00
School Board, 94.00	94.00
Telephone, 75	75
Official pay sheet, 756.65	756.65

Applications from Maywood Bros., Robt. Houston, Jno. Parker, Trotter & Trotter, Power & Reynolds, Gibson & Mondell and A. C. Douglas for licenses, with treasurers certificates, were granted. Report adopted.

MORRIS.

Wastie, Caldwell, Re-letter of City Solicitor that he be instructed to find out date of proclamation, referred to in his letter, and finally advise as to title of the square.—Carried.

Caldwell, McGregor, That Jno. Fawcett have a rebate of \$5 on fine of \$10.—Carried.

Wastie, Caldwell.—That report re block 42, the proposed market site, be filed for future reference.

Here a hot discussion ensued. Alds. Evans, Edgar and Russell wanted it referred to the board of works. Ald. Caldwell said there was no use referring it to the board of works. The valuations were \$10,000. There were 9 figures were \$10,000. There were 9 figures were \$10,000. There were 9 figures were \$10,000.

Ald. Evans moved in amendment, secy. of the board of works. The report be referred to the board of works. Ald. Murray said he wanted to vote right in the matter. If the board of works could show any cause why it should be referred to them, any reason how they can make the values any smaller, he would support the amendment, not otherwise.

A vote being taken, the motion was carried.

Yes—Caldwell, McGregor, Wastie, Murray.

Nays—Russell, Evans, Edgar.

CONSIDERATION OF BY-LAWS.

Ald. Caldwell asked that the by-law fixing a site for the city hall and market, be read a 3rd time.

It was now evident that he intended, in the absence of the mayor, to spring a site on the council, have south half 18 lots of block 59 inserted in the by-law.

The opposition began to get uneasy with Ald. Hanbury in the chair they were the weaker side.

Ald. Evans objected to the by-law being read.

Ald. Caldwell ordered it to be read. Consternation appeared on the west end when the clerk announced that it had now to be read by a committee of the whole. Ald. Hanbury, with a broad grin, called Ald. Caldwell to the chair. This turned the tables. The opposition was now the stronger.

The clerk began to read the by-law, when it came to the clause fixing block 42 as the site Ald. Wastie moved that the south 18 lots of block 59 be inserted.

Lost.

Ald. Evans moved that the committee rise and ask leave to sit again.—Carried.

The chairman rose and reported. Chairman Hanbury after taking the chair asked what was to be done with the report of the committee. It was declared lost.

On motion they again went into a committee of the whole. Ald. Caldwell in the chair again. This might have gone on all night but Ald. Evans moved that the committee rise and ask leave to sit again in two weeks.—Carried.

The report of committee was then carried.

Ald. Edgar said it was very unfair to spring this on the council. Ald. Caldwell said he wanted to get the board of works. A. D. Evans said that was not his (Caldwell's) reason at all.

It was then moved by Ald. Murray seconded by Wastie that the board of works be instructed to submit a report upon cost of site and proposed location of a school at an adjourned meeting of this council on Thursday evening next.—Carried.

The fire limit by-law was also laid over until Thursday evening.

Council adjourned to meet on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

DOUGLAS AND VICINITY.

CELEBRATION OF DOMINION DAY.—BY HONORARY BUT FAITHFUL HARBINGER OF A STORM—O-TANGE BLOSSOMS.

The town is still progressing, especially in the painting line. The Barry house is added to the programme.

I understand Mr. McEwen, from Lake of the Woods, is going to erect an elevator in Douglas. There will still be opposition.

Mr. Cantelon and Mr. McRoberts, relatives of Mr. Kyle, left for the east last week. Mr. Cantelon is a very extensive apple dealer and has been on a tour through the province in relation to his business.

Miss Wilkie has returned from her visit to friends in Ontario. She arrived in Ontario only a few days before the death of her father.

Old farmers say the prospect of a good crop never was better. If so Douglas will know this fall.

What about the hop across the marsh on Tuesday night, 1st? Betty was there and she says the boys held her down until 3:30 a.m. Lots of girls and lots of music.

Several of the base-baller, got hurt on the first but in most cases it was slight.

The foot racing, jumping etc., was fair and everything went off without many hard words. The base-ball matches were of the greatest attraction, and at the final game between the Invincibles and Clippers, the excitement was great and betting knew no bounds.

This match is to be played again in a couple of weeks, at Douglas, between the same teams. The ice cream and lemonade flow in all directions from the tents. It is reported a few individuals had a little private gong for themselves.

The evening checked the last ball match, a kind of sudden and all bought shelter, the light summer appar. I could not stand many of the weighty drops. After the shower subsided, each and all sought their respective homes.

A very happy event was celebrated at the residence of Mr. Wm. Nelson, of Elton, a few miles northwest of here. It being the joining in marriage of Miss Minnie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nelson, to John G. Hoy, youngest son of Mr. Samuel Hoy, also of Elton. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Fin, formerly of Chatter but at present of Carleton. The ceremony over the large number of invited guests set down to and partook of a most beautiful supper.

The presents were numerous and costly. The happy couple will be followed through life by the best wishes of their numerous friends in this locality.

Old Betty, true to her calculations, is around once more well as ever, she was out on the first in grand style, in fact it was remarked by several that she was the belle of Douglas on that day. She says she has been making great progress during the past month as to a wet season, but owing to her weakened state in both body and mind, did not give a narrative of her life to the press. She subjects it to be sent to the press, she says we have already had some heavy rains, but are going to have heavier ones and for that reason gives the following excellent hint's as to enable you to be on your guard. The old girl says she observed that she herself, from a very critical observation, and if any sensible person thoroughly apprehends them they will save the expense of purchasing a thermometer.

If ideas and heading are as follows: What the Spider, the Peacock, the Pig and other things know about the weather?

Why they are more reliable than the Signal Service Prophets. The true road to the crown goes the former pointers on the weather. The following is her description as nearly as I can recollect: She says our government is a great and glorious institution and all that, and it can keep a lot of handsome young men preying Monday wither on a Tuesday evening, if it wants to, but there isn't a handsome boy who can't give the high science sharp on atmospheric revelations. Betty has a friend who is one of those adepts in the art of weather making, and he gave her the benefit of his observations. She says to start with: "Locate the globe-spider that builds the circular web, globe-shaped, at sunrise, and if you find him cavorting around like a circus horse in the ring you can rest assured the day will be clear and pleasant. But if his spider's eye is found backed up in the centre, in a thimble shaped house, imperious to water, you can bet \$1.50 it will rain during the day. She says in her girlhood days the insect of the above description was their barometer. They crawled, raked and hunted, checked and started, moved and cocked the hay guided by the movements of the spider, and they never got rained. The following is one of Betty's earliest effusions, and is given in homely metaphors, so that its beauty and philosophy may not prove too much for the timid, pensive: "Scarious like," said the true told:

"For twittered for rain all day, I got up so soon and huddled till noon, But the sun he blazed away, Till I just chubbed down in a cradish hole."

Wary & short and sick at soul."

The true told knows what he is doing too, and then not to be too sudden in the sequence, there is the robin. From the first day in the gentle autumn season until the first of summer madness, has settled into the steady glow of autumn, the robin is a weather prophet you would do well to observe. When he climbs up to the top of a tree along about 5 or 6 o'clock in the evening, and times his throat to one of those airs which consists in four clear, distinct notes, sung over and over again, twittering with a cheerfulness which takes away a heap of dismal color from the falling weather, you can look out for rain. And this is a long distance prophesy, too. It means rain next day. It is rather than any signal station, it is a sure and certain, its reliability and its indicators, ever dawns, ever dawns to venture. It is good for twenty-four hours in the east again, where the weather is predicted.

Dr. J. G. Hadden, an "Fitter Sewer," knows the counting of the rain, and brant the secret ere its steps are heard upon the mountain top.

Then there is the peacock, this bird is sometimes regarded as a purely ornamental creature, a sort of object lesson in the study of pride. His well known ability to tail and under whose shortest feather can harbor up the soul of any milliner, is supposed to be his chief apology for existence. But that is a mistake. Somehow or other the peacock seems to stand in with the elements and he knows all about the weather, and no man would rather stand out in any kind of a thunder shower than to hear him sing, but that is none of this affair. When he sees the storm coming any ten or fifteen hours away, he doesn't hesitate to announce the fact, even if his intention is to deliver a sermon. You never need listen to what he is saying. The peacock picks up a heap with a single string. If it is going to rain he observes a beautiful golden silence; if it is he sings:

Down away for an hour, And I will tell the thing again; And I want and sing Till I know my time Was just about gone; And then, thinks I, if he don't rain now, They're not in singing any more."

It would pay the Douglas people to plant a quaking asp tree in their town square, and let it flutter in the region of the picnic ground would be avoided, if only young men and maidens would consult the quaking asp before they put on their tennis flannel and go out for the day. When the leaves of this beautiful and modest tree are first seen to flutter on, or flutter and sway back and forth with the dark green surface forever presented, you are good for a whole day of shine. But if you see the white, cottony, rather side of the leaves, if you turn the dark side from you and present only leaves of light, look out for trouble. It is going to pour.

Hops are not celebrated for classic beauties, nor famed for learning, but a good, healthy Berkshire pup of one year old or upwards could take even of Canada's fashionable high-toned prophets and teach him the alpha and beta of meteorology. When a summer shower of any sequence is coming your acute dog gets excited. He takes a wisp of straw in his mouth and runs around with it in an aimless way, hunting for some place to put it. He never does put it any place. He only goes through this motion, to warn you of what is coming, his efforts are really pathetic in their earnestness, considering how little attention is paid to him, and this despite the fact that the dog speaks shrilly all the time he is exercising around—speaks as though he had an out short on a copper wire in his ear, or something of that sort. But he makes no mistake about the weather.

Once in a while some farmer would come a-driving past, And he'd hear my cry, And stop and sigh, Till I just had hold at last.

And I holler "rain" till I know my throat Would burst wide open at every note.

Now, a cat—just a common gray cat—is just as slow on this thing of signal service. True, cats don't get the telegraphic warning from those large cities etc., but when you see a cat unduly excited about nothing on towards evening, see her rushing from pillar to post, climbing trees and fleeing like the wicked man when no one pursues her whirling around and trying to overtake her tail, then be sure you are going to have rain. The cat is an embodied spirit of mischief, always and always will be. They are the familiar comrades of ghosts, phantasms and things of evil, and the profound depths of their nature are stirred if they see a sudden storm arising. They know it will catch somebody unawares, and that is enough for them. Trouble for humanity is nuts for a cat, and the more the trouble the happier the cat. There is one other sign which on all wise providence has placed in the country for the especial warning of farmers. By its sublime provision they are enabled to come in out of the rain, if they want to though no power short of a big dam can make them do it. This rural harbinger of humidity is the rain crow, sometimes called the thunder pumper. By a strict observance of its signals misguided men may learn when to expect the showers. The rain crow never deserts the country. He stays there all the time, leaving city flocks to the tender mercies of the bureau sharps, with their blackspans on a white field and all that; so there is no excuse for a countryman getting wet and you don't need to listen for the rain crow says. He never says but one thing. If it isn't going to rain, then he keeps his mouth shut. If it is then he talks.

THE ORANGEMEN MARCH TO THE METHODIST CHURCH AND HEAR A PRACTICAL SERMON.

The Orangemen marched to the Methodist church on Sunday morning, when the Rev. Mr. Pickett delivered a sermon appropriate to the occasion. The Rev. gentlemen took for his text, "God is in the midst of her; she shall not be moved; God shall help her, and that shall not fail." In his remarks he gave them to understand that the days of upholding their doctrine by the sword were gone forever. They were not to treat the Roman Catholics as enemies. There are thousands of us good Catholics, Christians in that church as there are in our own. It was their leaders who wanted so much temporal power that caused the trouble. The Rev. gentleman's remarks were received with great attention, by all present.

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## A LETTER FROM LOS ANGELES

We arrived here on evening of 2nd inst and were tired enough to be glad that our long trip was at an end. For the first week we had very hot weather. I could write on train, but after fairly in the mountains I was so captivated by the majesty of the scenery, I gazed early and late, and I never wearied as long as the light lasted. I was satisfied with the views; I always anticipated so much, I feared I would be disappointed, but the gloomy grandeur of the mountains, the sparkle of sunshine on their snowy sides, with the thousand changes caused by the play of lights and shadows, was enough to stimulate one with a wild desire to see all on both sides of the car at once. I was so fortunate as to be able to go to either side of the car as I chose. The Kicking Horse river would have delighted your artistic soul, ever rushing madly on, glowing and sparkling when the sun shone on it, ever the most delightful pale tint of green and the bed was so rugged it was ever churned in foam which had such a soft creamy look beyond my power to describe, then the countless falls, cascades, etc. were ever perfectly exciting. The Columbia was a broader current, and from its teaming with the myriads of salmon, was interesting and at times fair with the grandeur of deep waters and quiet surface. Then I must mention the railroad ran between the mountains, often just enough room for track, again the various rivers ran beside, again the canyon widened enough to admit such lovely lakes, first one side and then the other. I counted 15 and I do not know how many we passed by in the night. We stopped to get a view of Albert Canyon, where they have a platform raised; on which you can gaze down into the gloomy depths, grand but so terrible for one. There was the Thompson river, 100 miles long in sight, but we passed over quite a portion in the night and it was so muddy and dirty looking. I did not care for it. We had a grand view of the glacier and had a poor dinner, but the house at the foot of the mountain was so pretty in Swiss style. We got out and had a drink of soda water at the soda spring in California and many made lemonade, it fizzed, but I did not bother. Then the Fraser River is most notable, and worthy of more honorable mention I can give it though it is muddy, a thing I do not admire in rivers, but when one learns that it receives into it's motherly bosom the waters of five large streams, four of them larger in appearance than itself, and said river often receiving these numerous tributaries is put up in narrow channels, so narrow it flows and tooses with such turbulence, has at times currents running both ways on the surface, with such strong under currents that the skill of man with large sums of money at his command, have vainly tried schemes by which boats could be used on it. Near the mountains were great high sand hills, with coarse scrubby trees, if any, nothing to admire, and the road looked a very bad I was glad when we were safely over it. After we left the mountains, Rockies, Skikins, etc., we found trees in large, and as we went on flowers and shrubs, with such pretty ferns, then berry bushes, elders, etc. in blossom. Mrs. Sifton's brother will tell you of the famous Loop on the C.P.R. in the mountains, better by far than can be seen at Vancouver. At Vancouver, Capt. Woodsworth and wife met us, and we had missed the boat, so they were our casual entertainers, took us around Stanley Park, a lovely drive of 10 miles, and there I saw the first, and really grand fir trees 120 feet high, smooth and tapering to the top, at one point they have a summer house about 100 feet above the water mark, looking over the harbor on one side, and English Bay on the other. You would be seized with a burning desire to copy the fair scene. Poor me, I could only try to keep it in my memory. When we were in a sail boat and it being the 24th when about to return home, had a race with the one Mr. Wilson was out in when he was at V and our boat beat. I was just a little scared, especially as we had a little accident, and nearly upset. The rope was fast, so they could not manage to sail quite quickly enough and the tide was strong. Then when we left our kind friends on Monday at 4 o'clock, Mr. and Mrs. Rounsell were at Sulphur Springs and when they got a letter from Frank that I was at V., hurried home just in time to say good bye on the boat. We had it rather rough. We went to bed early and my hearing told me many were very like your sister Lila, so vividly described, we escaped. The scenery from V. till too dark was most lovely. Next morning at six reached Tacoma, just in time for the train. After a rest we took the cars (they have electric, motor and cable lines) and viewed the finest part of the city, and it is a marvel to look after the loss of expensive views, terraced with ornamental trees, shrubs, and such roses and flowers and no agricultural country to speak of, being worked I mean, no manure, the business from the waters of the Sound, the lumber industry, and a market of the grain grown east of there is all I could learn for its back bone, say it is formed by money coming—there is a great strife between Tacoma and Seattle. Then after ten hours waiting, went to Portland and I was charmed with the, they call it valley so fair, so fruitful and sunny with endless stations of nice towns. I think it would be as nice a spot as ever I saw to settle in, looks like our part of Ontario—houses, fruit and shade trees, rail fences etc., all were to me a picture of Ontario arriving in Port and, were told we were a little late, another half of 10 hours. Harry was suffering so with heat the Dr. in P. said so many children were like Harry after crossing the mountains, the change of air and water was the cause. I rested with him till next night, then we took street cars and saw the city. I think it a prospectus and fair city, and hope Mr. and Mrs. Lauchter, who have a church there, will be happy in their new home and as well liked as they were at Kamloops, as I met a gentleman who lived there and he praised Mr. L. in highest terms, said all denunciations were at once losing him. We took a train for Sacramento, and had only 4 hours to wait to visit Capitol Buildings, they are grand, all the grounds with broad walks all around of some composition looking ex-

actly like great blocks of hewn white stone. From the first story an immense dome rises, most artistic in its interior finish, up which you look. Below, just beneath are statues of Queen Isabella and Columbus kneeling at her feet with a page at her right side, and in her hands the long strings of precious pearls, she tells him she will sell to help him. The Queen has a most majestic face, and Columbus looks as he was; a man of kingly power of intellect. I could hardly tear myself from it—the library was closed, not open till 10, I was not able to get a peep at the books—the flowers, how can I tell you how we revelled in the enjoyment of their sweetness, and the trees, many tropical, and so many of those clipped trees at regular intervals, like green columns, fountains etc., and the work is still going on. Calla Lilies were used freely as ornamentation, roses, verbenas, Pansies. Then I have not room to tell you of our climb up Mt. Shasta, one of the Siskiyou Mts. which form boundary between Oregon and California, we had two great engines and passed through 23 tunnels, up, up, till the air was cold, and in the long loop we could look down and see two lines of road below us, we had already gone over. Then in the descent they put down steam and on brakes, with one engine. The scenery was just as fine as any we saw—then when near Los Angeles—the night before, we made another ascent and descent and lots of tunnels and a loop with a poor looking line of road, none too safe. I assure you, saw some of the loveliest cactus blossoms and Spanish Bayonets, a shrub about 2 or 3 feet high and rather over half its height was white foliage or flower, cone shaped, running to a point at the top. Los Angeles is very pretty and one park I visited had among its beauties, a bed of solid Pansies, with light wire netting for fence and protection I presume, an oblong circle about 10 feet by 7, I guess and all the beauties, then many tropical trees and plants, the pepper tree is very much used and very pretty.

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## Local News.

Acc Edmunds is in Ontario purchasing horses.

"Jig" McGregor is expected on Friday with a carload of horses.

Jas. S. Gibson returned from Western Ontario, on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Woodbridge lectured in the Methodist church on Tuesday evening.

The usual long list of accidents occurred across the border on the 4th.

Several of the merchants complain of the scarcity of small change, since the American silver has been expelled.

The Northern Pacific and Manitoba R. Ry. time table and latest ticket announcement, will appear in our next issue.

Mr. Phillips, collector of customs at Emerson, father of Mr. E. S. Phillips, of the Merchants Bank here, has been in the city for some days.

The farmers in the Antler District have discovered that a first-class quality of lime can be farmed, with straw for fuel, and old straw at that.

William Crawford, son of Mr. Crawford, custodian of our fire apparatus, is now in the city visiting his parents. He is in the C.P.R. service near Port Arthur.

Mr. Driver, father of Mr. Joseph Driver, this city, and who resides near Miami, has been in the city some days. He is nearly 80, and is hale and hearty.

When passing Tom Sharp's, 8th Street don't forget to look up and see his Majesty descending with the all-powerful point brush in his hand.

The Winnipeg Tribune of Monday evening says: "Acc Edmunds, of Brandon, has purchased three trotting horses from J. H. Metcalfe."

Mrs. Chiff's condition, instead of improving, is gradually getting worse. She has been unconscious since Saturday last and her physicians do not entertain the slightest hope of her recovery.

Les Johnston, implement agent at Greenwood brought in some wheat fully headed out, and over three feet long. He says Greenwood farmers have over 14,000 acres of just such a crop.

The teachers' examinations are being held in the Central school this week. There are 77 candidates in all. 64 for 3rd class, 24 for 2nd class, and 1 for 1st class certificates. S. E. Lane, Rev. H. Archibald, and Rev. C. Mason are the examiners.

The catalogues of the Penketh stock farm's stock, to be sold here on the second day of the summer fair, July 24th, are being printed. F. A. Wilcocks is to be the auctioneer. The lot comprises about 50 head of cattle.

F. A. Wilcocks' regular monthly sale takes place on Wednesday 16th inst., and is expected to be the largest sale of season. Besides a large amount of miscellaneous effects a number of cattle, horses and sheep have been entered.

Mr. Alex. Lang came in from the Antler District this week, and reports splendid prospects in that district. The crops are looking splendid, plenty of rain and as yet no signs of hail. The small fruit crop along the Antler will be very heavy.

The people of the Little Saskatchewan district will hold a picnic at the grove, on Friday July 11th. Geo. P. Bliss, of Winnipeg, will deliver a lecture on temperance. Games and sports will be the order of the day. Tea at 4 p.m. All are welcome.

On Saturday, hundreds of our readers will visit Winnipeg to celebrate the "glorious 12." If you have time you should take in the Fort Rouge greenhouses, where Mr. Bull is always pleased to show visitors, especially Brandon people, around.

The congregation of the Little Saskatchewan mission met at the residence of W. Hunter, on Thursday evening June 26, and presented their retiring minister, Rev. R. Milliken, with a teachers' bible accompanied by an address. F. Laubert occupied the chair and called upon Mr. V. Wintergreen, who read the address. Mr. Milliken has been stationed at Oak Lake. The Rev. Mr. Cross succeeds him and preached his first sermon last Sunday, the edifice being crowded.

The Morden Monitor says: "The bite of a skunk is known to be nearly as dangerous as the bite of a mad dog and often ends in the person bitten dying from hydrophobia. As skunks often feed on putrid flesh it is possible that blood poisoning is the danger most to be feared as the teeth of the animal are seldom or never clean. Skunks frequently enter outhouses of farmers unobserved and conceal themselves in corners and dark places where hens have made their nests. Farmers living near the woods where skunks are numerous should warn children to be on their guard as the obnoxious animal will sometimes not stir until it is touched by the hand and the beast will then give a bite that is more dangerous than the bite of a serpent."

Wagoner's Guide for July is out, embodying all alterations and additions to tables of travel by rail, stage, Ocean and Lake and tabulating all changes in the general business tables of the Province. It gives all the new Post Offices, opened and closed, the different Roads and the time tables of the different Roads, in a neat and clear manner, the sailings, fares, etc. of the Atlantic Steamships and devotes space to the Dominion Lands and mineral regulations, Municipalities, their boundaries, Ecclesiastical, Military, Legal, Civil, Masonic, &c. matters, in fact, embodying everything useful that is required, and with its maps of the Province, Dominion and Winnipeg, appears well to earn its right to the general testimony, that what ever you want "you'll find it in Wagoner's Guide."

## SOURIS (PLUM CREEK).

LACROSSE.

A WELL CONTESTED GAME AT DELORAINES WON BY THE PLUM CREEKS.

SOURIS, July 8.—On Monday, June 30, the Plum Creek lacrosse club drove across the country to Deloraine to play a match with the Deloraines on the first of July. In the afternoon of the first the respective members of the teams lined up and the game was played. The Deloraines have some fine players, but lack staying power. They showed, however, that they are on the high road to success in team play. The Plum Creeks felt the loss of Hitchcock and Hopkins, and also the absence of Foster and Rose. Yet they succeeded in winning the game by a score of two goals to one. Owing to the rain the last few minutes of the game was not played. R. S. Ferguson, of Bereford, refereed the match. The first game was taken by Russ Hetherington for the Creeks in 81 minutes. The second was scored by Fred Wright for Deloraine in 20 minutes, and the last by Arthur Brindle in 24 minutes. The Plum Creeks are delighted with the manner in which they were treated by the Deloraines. The return match is arranged for on August 1st, the day selected for the Provincial Festivities, picnic at Souris.

There is increasing activity in building operations at present. Squire Swenden and J. Delorme are erecting large buildings, to be used as stores and offices. F. Waman, R. Staples, C. Krieger and J. Kennedy are erecting residences.

Dr. M. S. Fraser, of Manitoba Medical College, has located at Souris for the practice of his profession. He has his office at the Crescent.

The Misses Nesbitt are holidaying at Morden.

The Souris Banking Co. have removed their bank to 3rd street, west.

WOLSELEY.

A farewell party for the Rev. Mr. Clague was given last week at the residence of the Rev. Mr. Campbell, and a number of our young people spent a very enjoyable evening. Our Co-compositor was present, and says too much praise cannot be given to the host and hostess for the manner in which they entertained their guests.

School is closed, and the town is infested with the coming generation. Barber Bros. have built a new boat and placed it on the lake here, much to the satisfaction of some of the young people who like boating.

Our popular carpenter, Mr. Geo. Barber, is at present working on the country much to the regret of some of the young people, as we will not say it as it might hurt his feelings.

The individual who styled himself Caesar has taken his departure from our midst. The people of Wolseley do not appear to miss his talent, so he has returned whence he came.

JUSTICE.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING.

A STORMY TIME.

At a special meeting of the school board on Monday afternoon, there were present: Trustees Christie, Pilling, Clement, Hanbury, Wilson, Irwin, Sherriff, White, also H. E. Henderson, solicitor.

The object of the meeting was to consider the plans and specifications for the new Central school, and other matters in connection with the same.

The following motions were put: Pilling—Clement. That seeing the city propose incurring very heavy liabilities in the near future for public buildings etc., it is unwarranted for the School Board (until there is some scheme adopted for disposing of the present school house) to further increase such liability by \$45,000, the approximate estimate for the Central School. Lost.

Pilling—White. That the north half of block 24 be purchased as a site for the Central School. Withdrawn.

Pilling—Sherriff. That in the event of the by-law passing, authorizing the School Board to build the Central School, the north half of block 25 be purchased for that purpose, cost not to exceed \$7,200. Lost.

Moved in amendment—Hanbury—Wilson. That south half of block 41 be purchased for school site providing by-law carries for same. Lost.

Hanbury—Wilson. That Mr. Henderson be instructed to prepare a by-law to submit to the people for the purchase of a site and erection of a Central School for the city of Brandon. Carried.

The meeting was a stormy one; rough-out, all the trustees trying to talk at once.

The amendment to Pilling and Sherriff's motion was lost by chairman Christie exercising his power to vote, when on looking up the Municipal Act he found he had power to do so.

Plans of the proposed school were submitted by both Shillinglaw and Marshall, both of which were looked on with favor by the board. The proposed cost of the building is \$45,000.

AGRICULTURAL EXHIBITIONS.

Brandon, July 23 and 24, Springfield, October 1 and 2, Vineland, October 2 and 3.

Secretaries of societies are requested to send in names of places and dates for their exhibitions.

MARRIED.

Hoey Nelson at the residence of the bride's father, W. T. Nelson, esp. of Elton, on Wednesday, July 2nd. The Rev. F. M. Finn officiating. John F. Hoey to Miss M. J. Nelson, both of Elton.

Moore—Alexander at the Congregational manse, on July 7th, by Rev. H. C. Mason, Mr. James Moore to Miss Sarah Alexander, both of Douglas.

DIED.

In this city on Wednesday, June 25th, Sarah H. H. Story, eldest daughter of J. F. Story, aged 19 years and 8 months.

## ALL SEALERS ARMED.

VICTORIA, B.C., July 6.—The news telegraphed from Port Townsend, that a messenger had reached there from Washington with instructions for United States cutters to proceed at once to Bering's sea and seize all vessels with any evidence that they had been engaged in the seal fishery causes great indignation here. At the same time the story that the British Pacific squadron has been ordered to rendezvous at Esquimaux brings peace to a few ultra Britishers, but the majority believe that it is the same old story and that no matter what acts may be committed by the Yankee gun boats the Canadians have determined to take the matter in their own hands. It is well known that the crews of vessels that have been fully armed with a view to resisting seizure, and they will be disguised as sealers, and that they will seek a fight with the cutters. Regarding the story, Capt. Scott, the veteran sealer, said today: "Yes, it is undoubtedly so that these vessels are getting ready to meet the Yankees, but the matter is kept secret. I know the shippers of two vessels, in which I am interested have armed their crews and sworn before leaving to go down with their vessels rather than to submit to capture."

OTAWA, July 5.—The Canadian sealing fleet now leaving for Bering sea, are about the same as last season's. The celebrated schooners Black Diamond, Junata and Mollie Adams, have obtained leave from the authorities here to change their names to Katherine, Maccot and E.B. Marvin, respectively. Last season the number of seals caught by Canadian vessels in Bering sea was 16,584, while the total catch was 29,570, valued at about \$200,000.

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